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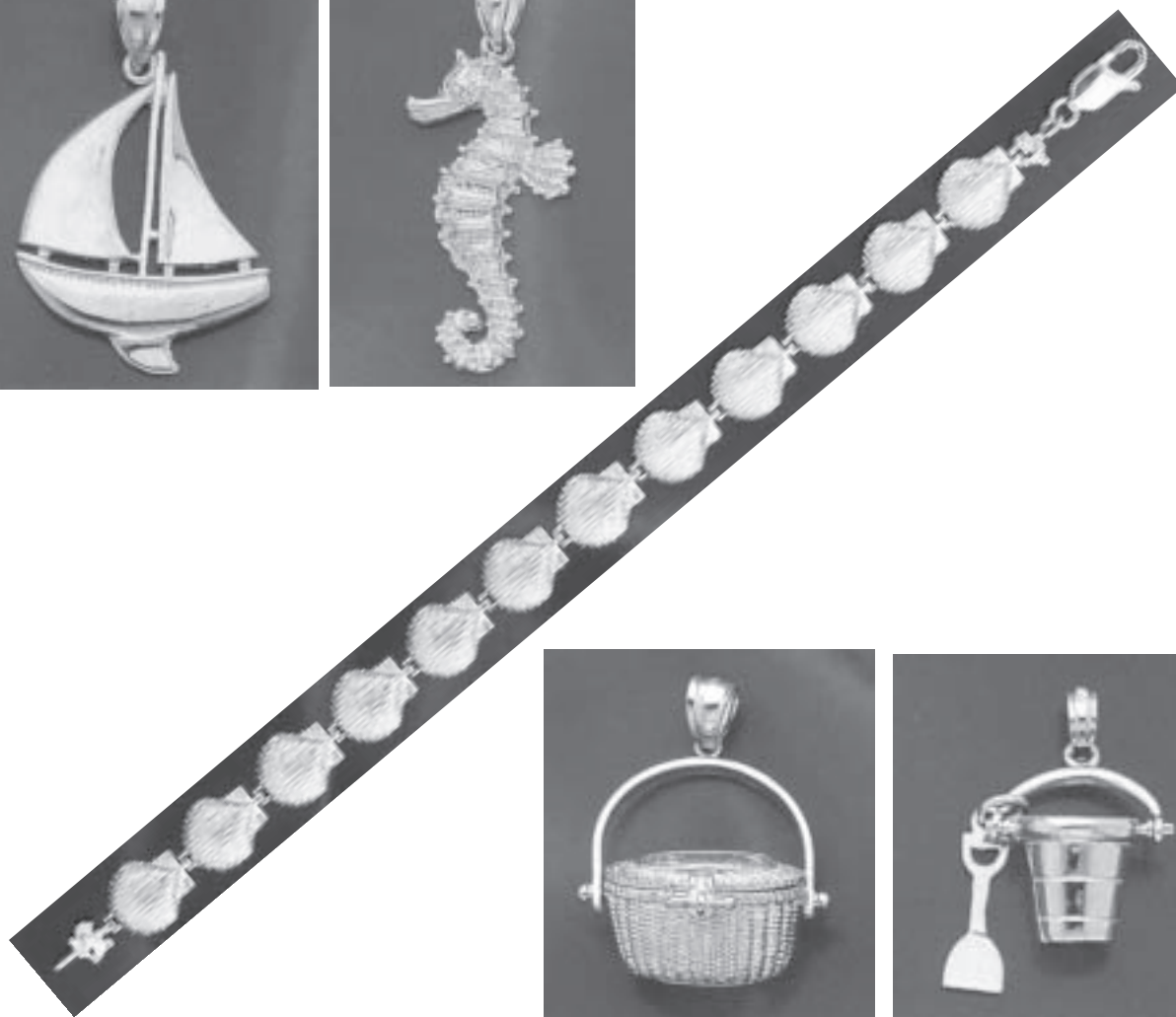
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Everyone is invited to the Mattapoisett Land Trust's "Happy Bearthday Party," an all-in-one 30th Mattapoisett Land Trust (MLT)/Earth Day/Arbor Day/National Water Week Celebration of our local environment. The event will take place on Saturday, May 1 from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon (rain or shine) at the Dexter Mill and Pond site (also known as Tub Mill), Fairhaven Road (Route 6) in Mattapoisett. Parking is available on Mendell Road at the Town Barn.

- Join In For A Very Special Tree Planting Ceremony: Our gift to Mother Earth will be a beautiful, disease-resistant, heritage elm to be planted close to where the historic Dexter Elm once stood.
- Learn Some History: Find out about the significance of this property from early in Mattapoisett's history to the present.
- Meet the Artists: Enjoy the Old Hammondtown School fifth graders' eye-catching environmental poster entries for this year's National Arbor Day Contest.
- Share Your Own Favorite Mattapoisett Tree or



**Above:** Larry the American alligator gets a friendly stroke from Nick Nadeau, a fourth grader at Old Hammondtown School in Mattapoisett during a presentation by Tara Padula, Assistant Curator of Education for Roger William Park's Zoo. The Mattapoisett Parents-Teachers Association (PTA) organized the zoomobile visit that focused on biodiversity tying in with curriculum and the upcoming Earth Day. (Photo by and courtesy of Laura McLean).

**On the cover:** The Dexter Mill and Pond site (also known as Tub Mill) off Fairhaven Road (Route 6) in Mattapoisett will be the site of the Mattapoisett Land Trust's "Happy Bearthday Party," an all-in-one 30th Mattapoisett Land Trust (MLT)/Earth Day/Arbor Day/National Water Week Celebration of our local environment, to take place on Saturday, May 1 from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon (rain or shine). Parking is available on Mendell Road at the Town Barn. (Photo by and courtesy of Laura McLean).

your special Mattapoisett spot of environmental "heaven-on-earth" with us. Show us (photograph, paint, color, sketch) or tell us (story, poem, article). We're looking to document as many of Mattapoisett's majestic trees as possible. We'll display all entries.

- Learn More About Local Environmental Organizations: Discover ways — big or small — that you can help. Children will have the opportunity to learn about water pollution and mercury contamination through games and activities in a presentation delivered by Massachusetts Community Water Watch.
- Come in Costume: Come as your favorite tree, plant, fish, amphibian, bird or any of Earth's living organisms! Add a little creativity and fun to the celebration! (Try to reuse, renew, and recycle.)
- Plant Swap: We'll provide the booth for anyone



**Above:** ORR High School Foreign Language Teacher Richard Ellis, whose been at ORR since 1971, was recently honored by the ORR District School Committee for his 33 years of service to tri-town students by ORR School Committee Chairman Susan DeWalt.

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#### *Teacher Tenure*

#### **ORR Language Teacher Honored**

At a meeting held on April 13, the Old Rochester Regional District School Committee honored Richard Ellis, a high school foreign language teacher at ORR since 1971.

Mr. Ellis began his teaching career at ORR High School in September 1971 as a Spanish Teacher, a subject that he continues to teach with great passion. Within four years, the respect he had gained by his fellow colleagues, students, and administrators led him to accept the role of Department Coordinator for Foreign Language, a position he continues to hold to this day.

During his 29 years as Department Coordinator, he has continued to support curriculum change, advanced the importance of second language acquisition, and

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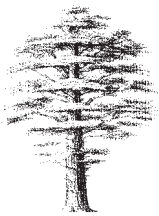
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provided detailed information into the planning for the new Language Lab. He continues to be a strong proponent for the inclusion of foreign language instruction at the elementary level. Over the years, he has organized high school students in an effort to visit the local elementary schools, exposing students to the variety of language choices they can consider as they prepare to enter ORR Junior High School.

From 1979 to 2000, he served as Advisor to the American Field Service (AFS) Program. During this time, students representing a variety of countries benefited from their personal experiences at ORR High School, as well as the experiences of traveling within the country to such locations as California, Maryland, Ohio, and Virginia.

He has continued his dedication to expanding cultural awareness, understanding, and knowledge among his students and colleagues, by organizing trips during the summer months to such places as: Mexico, Peru, Spain, and the Galapagos Islands. His annual trip for students to New York City to take in a theater production conducted exclusively in Spanish has become an extremely popular event at the school.

In addition to his support of the Foreign Language Program, Mr. Ellis has also remained a valuable contributor and resource to the general operation of the high school. His involvement in developing and maintaining an active Building Based Support Team, service on the Steering Committee for Accreditation, and overall



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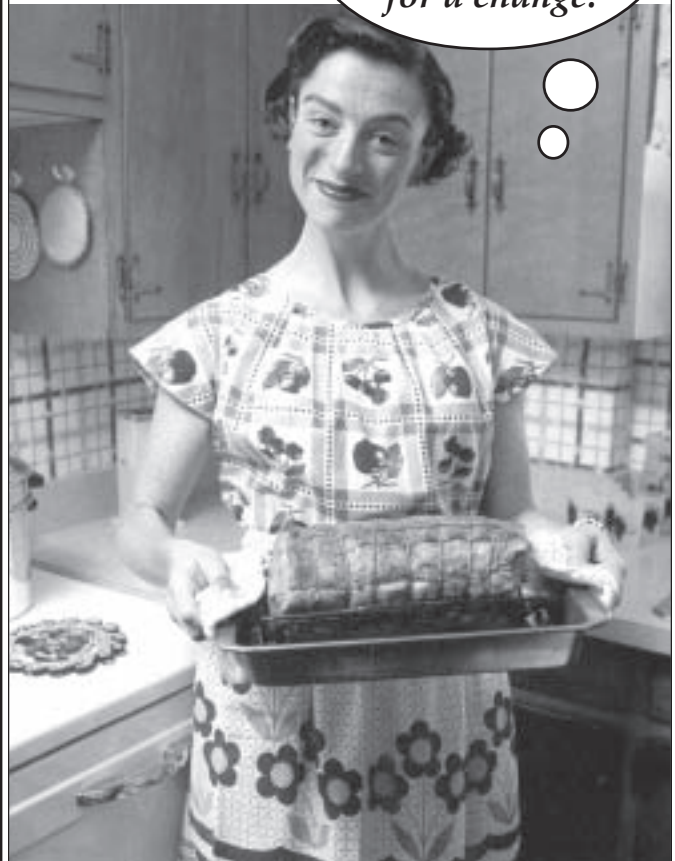
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participation in the planning of events and activities that enrich the culture and climate at ORR High School are deeply appreciated!

The ORR School District is extremely grateful to Mr. Ellis for his 33 years of service to the students of Marion, Mattapoisett, and Rochester.

## Documentary Premiere B-120 Incident Screening in New Bedford

Fairhaven Fisheries Institute, Inc. is pleased to announce the premiere of the documentary, *The B-120 Incident*. A special screening will take place at a fundraiser to be held at the New Bedford Whaling Museum on Tuesday, April 27, 2004 at 7:00 pm. The proceeds will provide copies of the film to local schools and libraries, free of charge.

*The B-120 Incident* is a movie made by local filmmaker Arnold Parsons. It chronicles the Bouchard oil spill and the aftermath which occurred in April and May of 2003. The premiere will mark the one-year anniversary of the accident.

Mr. Parsons' company, FTL Filmworks, was on location during the events that followed the spill. "We were in production for a much broader film about Buzzards Bay at the time, and were therefore in a great position to shift gears and make this (documentary)," Mr. Parsons said. "I have a lifelong connection to our local waters. The anger and despair I felt when I saw the

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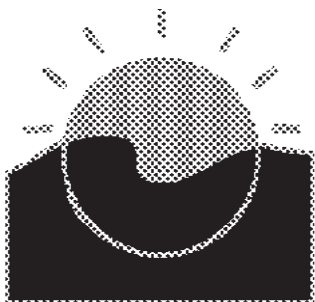
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*The B-120 Incident* was digitally produced using unique footage of the clean-up efforts and exclusive interviews with experts to tell the story of the environmental nightmare that engulfed Buzzards Bay. The film asks hard questions about the safety of our environment in light of existing shipping practices on Buzzards Bay. "About 1200 barges carry in excess of a billion gallons of petroleum through the bay each year, most of them antiquated, single-hulled vessels," Mr. Parsons said. "Existing federal laws allow this bomb to keep ticking until 2015."

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## Mattapoisett Selectmen's Meeting

April 20, 2004

By Patricia Aleks

A regular meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, April 20 at 7:00 pm by Chairman Barry J. Denham. Also present were Selectman Raymond H. Andrews, Selectman Stephen J. Lombard, Town Administrator Michael J. Botelho, and Assistant to the Town Administrator Melody Pacheco.

The board first approved the minutes of the April 12 and April 13 meetings, then voted to appoint Town Clerk Barbara Sullivan as the town's representative to the Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School Committee. The board met with members of the Old Colony Regional School Committee and with Town Moderator John Eklund, all of whom also voted and approved the appointment of Ms. Sullivan to the committee.

The board also voted and approved the appointment of Tim Smith as an advisor to the Mattapoisett Computer Advisory Board. Lastly, the board voted and



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approved the appointment of Barbara A. Sullivan, Beverly A. Butler, and Judith R. Anthony to the Council on Aging (COA).

Town Moderator John A. Eklund next presented to the board changes in procedures for the Annual Town Meeting, which is to be held Monday, May 10 beginning at 7:00 pm. According to Mr. Eklund's revised procedures, all PowerPoint and other audio-visual presentations will be limited to ten minutes total. Only one audio-visual presentation per side of a warrant article or issue will be allowed.

He informed the board "anyone wishing to do a PowerPoint presentation must advise the Town Clerk's office no later than 4:00 pm on Wednesday, May 5, 2004." Additionally, "anyone who wishes to do a PowerPoint or other audio-visual presentation must meet with the Town Moderator on Wednesday, May 5 between 7:00 pm and 8:00 pm or Thursday, May 6 between 7:00 pm and 8:00 pm at Town Hall."

Regarding any motion to amend an article as printed in the warrant at Town Meeting, Mr. Eklund strongly encouraged amendments to be made in writing. "Voters who intend to offer motions to amend are asked to speak with Town Counsel David Jenkins or the Town Moderator, John Eklund, in advance of Town Meeting or before offering the motion," Mr. Eklund wrote in his memo to the board. "The Town Counsel and Moderator will not discuss the substance of the PowerPoint or motion to amend with anyone else prior to the presentation."

The next appointment of the evening was with Tony William of Buzzards Bay Coalition (BBC). Mr. William informed the board that the BBC will be presenting to the town ten signs for posting at locations throughout the waterfront informing the public of the ecological health of the bay at the ten areas where the volunteers test

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water. The signs will use a bar graph indicating the health of the local waters. The bar graph indicates the nitrogen-related health of the water and it does not include bacteria monitoring.

Another representative from the Buzzards Bay Coalition, Christine Alderberg, met with the board requesting \$50,000 be asked of the voters at Town Meeting to aid in aquifer land acquisition. Ms. Alderberg expressed the need for acquiring the land to protect local water quality.

Selectman Denham said, "We have no extra spending money."

Selectman Lombard added, "This is a worthwhile project but right now I have no idea where the money will

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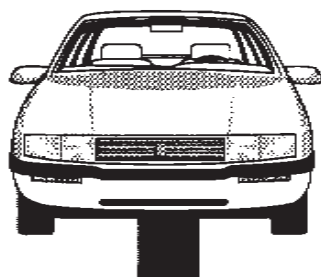
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It was discussed that perhaps in the fall at a Special Town Meeting this could be reconsidered.

The board was invited to attend the arrival of the 2003 Senior Van at the Mattapoisett Council on Aging (COA) on Tuesday, April 27 at 10:00 am. The board also received an invitation from the Recreation Committee to attend the 2004 Opening Day Ceremonies to be held at Old Hammondtown School on Saturday, May 1, 2004. There will be a parade beginning at 10:00 am.

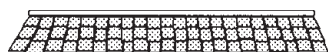
The Bay Club informed the board that they would be holding a public information meeting at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Route 6 in Mattapoisett on Wednesday, May 5 from 6:30 to 8:30 pm regarding the proposed Tinkham Forest exchange.

Under meetings slated for the week, the Bike Path Study Committee will convene on Thursday, April 22 at 7:30 pm in the Mattapoisett Town Hall.

At press time, the board continued discussion of school and sewer bonds, along with the various articles slated to appear on the May 10 Annual Town Meeting warrant, which has now been closed and finalized. They would thereafter adjourn for the evening.

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*April 20, 2004*

**By Kenneth J. Souza**

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The board first unanimously approved the minutes from the March 16 meeting, and the Executive



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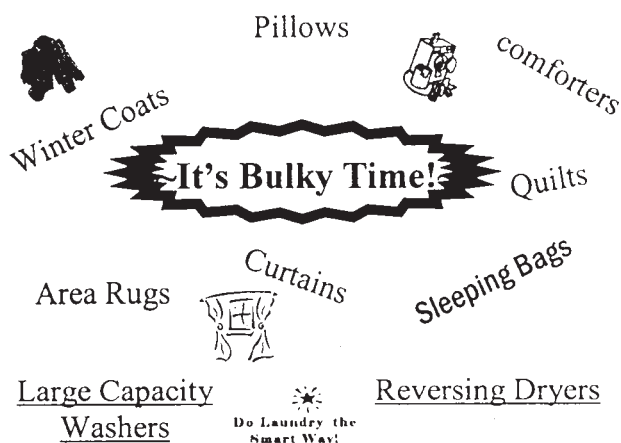
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Session minutes from the same evening, and then met with Town Clerk/Treasurer/Tax Collector Debra Blanchette at 7:05 pm to approve a total of \$655,000 in bonds for various projects previously approved by Town Meeting voters.

At 7:10 pm, Chairman Jeffrey recognized several residents were present to discuss the proposed siting of a new 400,000-gallon water tank on a portion of property near the rear of Evergreen Cemetery. Funding for construction of the new tank is included in an article on the upcoming Annual Town Meeting warrant which will also cover repairs for two other water supply tanks on Mill Street and Point Road.

"I know there are people who have come here tonight to talk about the water tower, and I just need to make a couple of comments," Chairman Jeffrey began. "We can't discuss the water tower tonight because we're not meeting as the Board of Water/Sewer Commissioners and it wasn't posted (on the agenda). That being said, I'd recommend we present Article 8 as it appears in the warrant ... (and) I personally will make a commitment that before a new water tower is located, we'll have a hearing to review the pros and cons of it. Obviously, if another site is selected and additional monies are needed, we'll have to go back before Town Meeting."

Although Chairman Jeffrey stressed this wasn't a "public hearing," per se, he said he would allow residents "five minutes" to make brief statements.

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Before that, resident Carol Sanz asked for clarification on Chairman Jeffrey's opening remarks: "So we would pass the money (at Town Meeting), and then decide where (the tower would be located)?" she asked.

Chairman Jeffrey agreed.

"The amount of monies that we're looking to appropriate are for Route 6, near the (Evergreen) Cemetery," Chairman Jeffrey said. "But you are absolutely correct ... when the article passes, a site will not be designated. I will personally make the commitment as a Selectman that we won't pick the site until a public hearing is held."

But the residents present — most of whom are direct abutters to Evergreen Cemetery — seemed to think other options needed to be considered before erecting a large water tower at the rear of what some consider "an historic town landmark."

"I would have great concerns for passing the funding for the new site now ... I think it's going to be much, much harder to come back in the fall for additional money," resident Mary Richardson said. "I would feel



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much better if I knew every single alternative site had been studied, not just the cheapest place. My concern is if we lump (the funding) all together now, it's going to be very hard to find another location."

"It seems to me if the restoration of the other three tanks and the (siting) of a new tank were deferred, it would make more sense," resident Larry Brewster said. "I think it's way beyond the 40 or 50 families (living) right there. What town would put a water tank in a village cemetery? People who are lifelong residents who have family buried in that cemetery didn't plan on that ... we are, in effect, taking four-and-a-half acres of potential use from that cemetery."

"When I have a project to do, I have to go before the (various town) boards ... and I really find it hard to believe that the town has gone forward and spent engineering money without notifying the abutters," resident Mike Michon said. "It's pretty amazing. Being in the village, we're paying a premium for taxes ... and there's plenty of other sites, that's my opinion."

"There are state laws, so we cannot discuss (this matter) tonight because it has to be posted 48 hours in advance," Chairman Jeffrey said. "As chairman, I say we hear you, but I'm making a commitment that before a site is chosen, we'll have a public meeting and go over the pros and cons before (it is) selected. I agree wholeheartedly that the cost was decided based upon one site. But I really think that's all we can say at this point."

"You've talked about eight sites, but the analysis should include the other sites that are appropriate," said resident Stuart Richardson.

The proposal is slated to appear as Article 8 on the Annual Town Meeting warrant to convene on Monday, April 26.

Under incoming correspondence, the board received a letter of resignation from Shellfish Officer



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Kevin Snow, who is stepping down effective May 1, 2004 to work as an Environmental Police Officer with the Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management (DEM). "This has not been an easy decision to make, as I truly enjoy the job of Shellfish Officer in Marion," Mr. Snow wrote. "I will always remember fondly the experiences that I have had and friends that I have made while living and working in Marion."

The board agreed Mr. Snow will be missed.

The board received a memo from Timothy O'Connor, Associate Superintendent for Finance and Planning at the Old Rochester Regional School District, regarding the use of the Sippican School playing fields. Mr. O'Connor stated as per previous agreements, both playing fields are reserved for the exclusive use of the school on days when school is in session up to 4:00 pm. For all other times — after 4:00 pm on school days and whenever school is not in session — use of the fields are under the oversight of the Town of Marion.

In other matters, the board:

- Unanimously voted to approve the immediate probationary appointment of Glenn Prescott as a paramedic with the Marion Emergency Medical Services (EMS).
- Received notification from the National Arbor Day Foundation that Marion has once again been named a "Tree City USA" for 2003. The board also read and approved a formal proclamation for Arbor Day.
- Received letters from residents John Elliott and Sanford and Michelle Russell regarding two pending applications filed by Barden's Boatyard and Gormley Marina to expand the businesses' current marina docks, slips and moorings in Sippican Harbor. According to a letter from Mr. and Ms. Russell, the two establishments are, in effect, "trading moorings for permanent fixed structures ... with no decision by or compensation to

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"It's my understanding the Barden's Boatyard application has been withdrawn ... due to improper notification to town boards," said Mr. Dolan, "but the Gormley application is still pending."

Under the Town Administrator's report, Mr. Dolan informed the board that the Cable Advisory Committee has requested authorization to send out Requests for Proposals (RFPs) to begin the cable contract renewal process. "Comcast has given us a proposal, which we're reviewing at this point," Chairman Bryant added.

"The franchise license expires on June 19 and even though Town Counsel has been working on it, he has not finished reviewing the details," Mr. Dolan said. "I believe it will represent the community's position on the franchise renewal and it's subject to modification and revision."

Selectman Pierce asked about the potential for Comcast providing funding to equip the TV Studio based at ORR High School and also about the possibility of taping/broadcasting Marion Selectmen's meetings and



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meetings of other town boards in the future. Chairman Jeffrey said those were "separate issues" that would need to be addressed during contract negotiations with Comcast.

Mr. Dolan said the board would need to schedule a public hearing for residents to voice their input on the cable contract renewal, specifically as to the need for so-called "public access" facilities and channels.

Upon a request from Mr. Dolan, the board also unanimously voted to appoint Betsy Parks and Bill Napton to the Marion Housing Committee, since they are down to one available member and cannot meet otherwise. "I would recommend we do it for six months, on a probationary period, with the caveat that we're doing this because (the committee) can't function with only one member right now," Chairman Jeffrey added.

There being no further matters to come before the board, they spent the remainder of the meeting reviewing the order and presentation of the articles slated to appear on the April 26 Annual Town Meeting warrant and would thereafter adjourn for the evening.

## Sports Shorts

### Marion Athlete Awarded

**Jack Miller** of Marion was recently named "Co-Field Performer of the Week" by the Upstate Collegiate Athletic Association (UCAA) at the track and field weekly awards. A native of Marion and currently a senior at

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Tuesday Portsmouth Race; Wednesday, July 14: 3rd  
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July Series race; Wednesday, July 28: 5th Wednesday  
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• August - Wednesday, August 4: 1st Race  
Wednesday Night August Series; Friday, August 6 -  
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15: Mattapoisett Yacht Club (MYC) Hosting Herreshoff 12  
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mouth Race; Wednesday, August 18: 3rd Race Wednesday  
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Wednesday Night August Series; Saturday, August 28:  
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• October - Saturday, October 16: Annual Dinner/ Meeting at Century House (6:00 pm).

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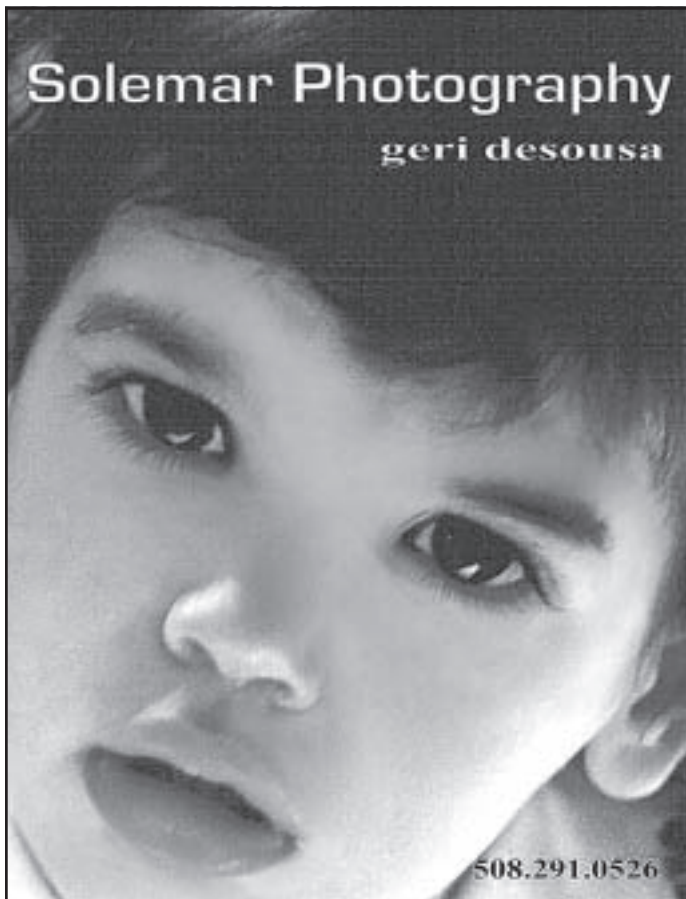
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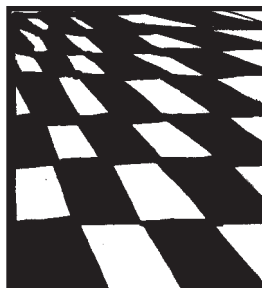
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the United States for animal bites and scratches that are largely preventable with proper education. The Marion and Rochester Boards of Health would like to raise awareness among its residents about the importance of getting their pets vaccinated against rabies and ways to reduce their risk of animal bites and other potential rabies exposures.

According to the Massachusetts Department of Public Health (MDPH), 216 animals tested positive in the state for rabies in 2003. Skunks and raccoons accounted for 78 percent of all positive animals. Twenty-three positive bats (11 percent of all positive animals) were found. Dogs and cats made up 5 percent of the positive animals.

In each case of exposure, the risk of rabies transmission was evaluated, and in some cases rabies post-exposure prophylaxis had to be administered. People can reduce their risk from rabies by taking the following precautions:

- **Avoiding contact with wildlife** such as raccoons, skunks or foxes. If you are exposed (via a bite, scratch or contact with the animal's saliva) to a potentially rabid animal, contact your Animal Control Officer (ACO) and health care provider for evaluation.

- **Bat proofing your home** by preparing screens, vents and other areas where bats may gain access. If a bat is found in your home, contact your ACO for assistance.

- **Making sure your pet dog, cat or ferret is up-to-date on their rabies vaccination.** Pets can act as a bridge between a rabid wild animal and a person if they acquire the virus through a bite and then bring the virus into the household.

- **Educate yourself and your children on ways to avoid being bitten** by dogs or other animals. If you see a stray dog or other animal in your neighborhood, notify the ACO. They are trained to approach and handle stray animals and can



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For more information on rabies prevention, contact the Board of Health in Marion at 508-748-3530 or Rochester at 508-763-3871, extension 15, or the MDPH Division of Epidemiology and Immunization at 617-983-6900, or visit the MDHP website at [www.state.ma.us/dph](http://www.state.ma.us/dph).

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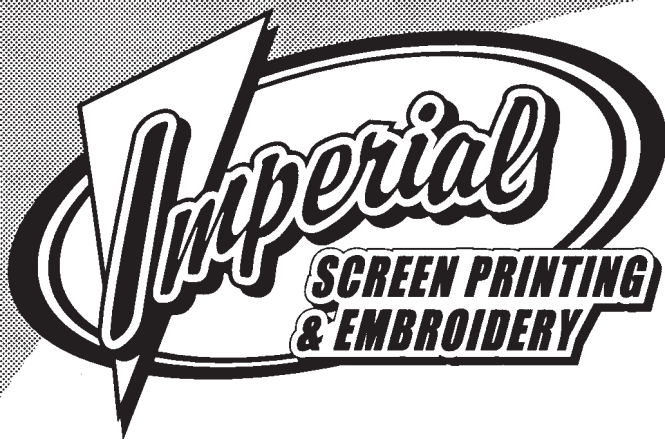
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#### To the Editor:

Don't bother going to (Mattapoisett) Town Meeting this year. The Mattapoisett Selectmen have decided that they will make the decisions for us. They decided that they would put the Finance Committee (FinCom) in the back seat this year and prepare the town budget themselves. Of course, it is a pretty easy task when you have said that no department can increase their budget.

We learned at the April 12 Selectmen's meeting that they are going to take it yet a step further. They will not put any overrides on the Town Meeting warrant, and if others do — the School Department has placed their own override article on the warrant this year to pay for the opening of Center School — they have the power, and intend to exercise it, to refuse to call an election on that override. (An override requires a Town Meeting vote and a vote on the ballot at a Town Election.) They indicated that they will refuse to call an election even if Town Meeting votes to bring an item to the voters.

So two Selectmen (Ray Andrews is opposing this approach) can go against a voter mandate, causing the deterioration of town services and the education that we offer our students. A democratic approach is more consistent with the intent of our founding fathers. Let the votes fall where they may at Town Meeting, rather than ignoring the voters' wishes.

So, don't waste your time going to Town Meeting this year. The Selectmen has it all under control — that is, unless you want to vote down the entire town budget until the Selectmen agree to abide by Town Meeting members' wishes.

Sincerely,  
Daniel Bungert  
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#### To the Editor:

To put the local Mattapoisett elementary (school) budget in perspective, please remember that two years ago a failed override caused the elementary budget to have a less than zero percent increase. Last year, the elementary budget increased 1 percent (effectively a less than 1 percent increase over two years' time).

The Mattapoisett School Committee is asking for help from the town to boost the elementary budget over the hump created by new utility costs. That amount is less than 2 percent of the total cost of the renovation of Center School, a project that is going smoothly and staying under budget. Construction money left over from this project would be returned to the town, but can't be transferred to cover these costs. The tax rate is not yet available to tell you yet the extra amount this would translate to on an average tax bill.

While the amount is less than 2 percent of the capital costs, it is much more if absorbed by the elementary (school) budget and our students alone. Since Special Education costs are protected by the law and cannot be reduced, we would have to make cuts from what we call the "Regular Day Budget." To cover the costs of operating Center and Old Hammondtown, we

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More information and specifics will be available leading up to Town Meeting, as Town Hall settles on their budget, and we appreciate your consideration and support for allocating the money to finish the job we started and open Center School.

Sincerely,

Bill Reed

Mattapoisett School Committee

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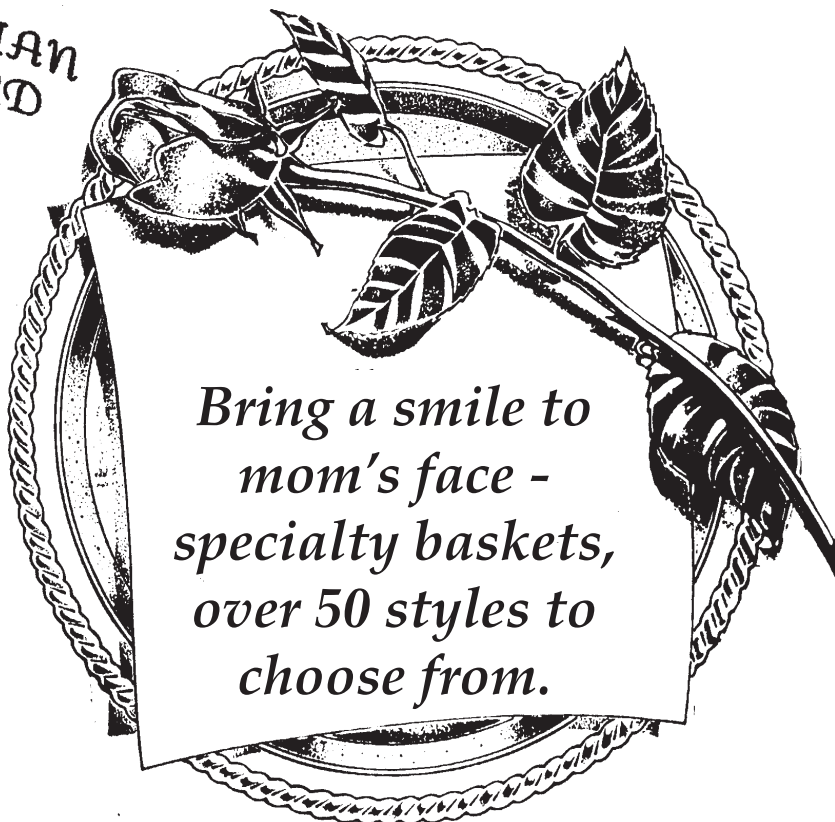
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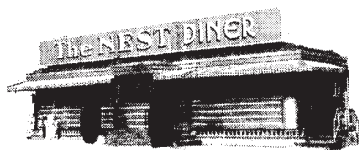
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### Marion Homes Program

Marion is leading the way for communities across the Commonwealth to meet the state's requirement for 10 percent Subsidized or Affordable Housing Inventory Stock (SHI Stock).

"We were delighted with the positive response that the Marion Homes Program received on Beacon Hill," said Stu Richardson, Chairman of the Marion Housing Committee. "Our unique approach was commended by the legislators with whom we met. Other small towns like Duxbury, Dartmouth and Westport are just waiting for the Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) to approve the final parts of the program so they can adopt something similar."

Mr. Richardson and Benjamin Bryant, Selectman for Marion, will be going to the State House on April 26, 2004 to testify in support of the special legislation needed to exempt property taxes for The Marion Homes Program participants. Then DHCD is expected to make its decision to approve the remaining two areas: the Local Initiative Program Application and a \$630,100 Housing Rehabilita-

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10:00AM	<b>Resist-A-Ball</b> <small>Instructor: Dana McLeod</small>	<b>Cardio Challenge</b> <small>Instructor: Marti Porter</small>	<b>Resist-A-Ball</b> <small>Instructor: Dana McLeod</small>	<b>Step &amp; Pump</b> <small>Instructor: Marti Porter</small>	<b>Hatha Yoga</b> <small>Instructor: Patricia Gualbelli</small>	<b>Cardio Challenge</b> <small>Instructor: Marti Porter</small>
11:00 AM						<b>BIOMETRICS TEAM &amp; HELP MTG</b> <small>For BIOMETRIC &amp; HELP MEMBERS ONLY</small>
12:00 PM						<b>BIOMETRICS WORKOUT w/Marti Porter</b>
3:30PM		<b>Butts &amp; Gutts</b> <small>Instructor: Eileen Zora</small>		<b>Gutts &amp; Butts</b> <small>Instr. Eileen Zora</small>		
4:30PM						
5:00PM	<b>*(5:15) Street Dance</b> <small>Instructor: Michael Porter</small>		<b>Yoga Fit (lite)</b> <small>Instructor: Melissa Cold</small>	<b>*(5:15) Street Dance</b> <small>Instructor: Michael Porter</small>	<b>Rebounding</b> <small>Instructor: Laurie Fernandez</small>	
6:00PM	<b>Aerobics 20/20/20</b> <small>Instr. Christine Davison</small>	<b>G.I. Jane</b> <small>Instructor: Marti Porter</small>	<b>Rebounding</b> <small>Instructor: Laurie Fernandez</small>	<b>Cardio Caliente*</b> <small>Instructor: Janet Porter</small>		
7:00PM	<b>KickFit</b> <small>Instructor: Derek DeCosta</small>	<b>Aerobics</b> <small>Instr. Christine Davison</small>	<b>Art of Belly Dance</b> <small>Instr. Satya</small>	<b>KickFit</b> <small>Instr. Derek DeCosta</small>		

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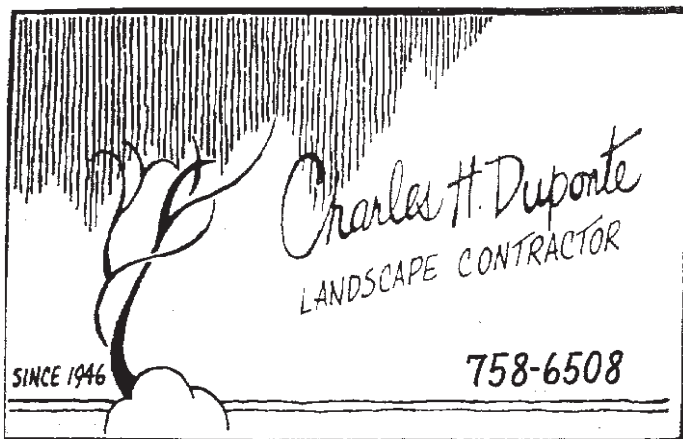
always make it affordable to prospective buyers at or below 80 percent of the median household income.

Once the program and funding have been approved by the DHCD, the Housing Committee intends to provide interested and eligible homeowners both legal and financial guidance, at no cost to them, so that they may be properly prepared to make a decision.

"We will phase the program in over four years: Phase One, 20 units will be added over the first 18 months," Mr. Richardson said. "Then, after a lapse of a year, the final 28 units will be added during the subsequent 18 months for a total of 48 homes. These 48 units will add approximately one quarter of those required to meet DHCD's 10 percent goal. The Commonwealth requires that the SHI Stock be increased at the rate of 1.50 percent of its total housing stock per year until we reach the state's mandated 10 percent level if a town does not have a Certified Housing Plan filed with the DHCD. We are in the process of developing such a plan and, once the plan has been accepted, the town will be allowed to increase the number of affordable units at a significantly lower rate - 0.75 percent.

Currently Marion has 44 units (2.4 percent) in the SHI Stock.

The Housing Committee holds that one of Marion's primary housing objectives is to maintain the town's historic, seaside character and its economic and ethnic diversity as a residential New England village. "We have two major strategies to realize this goal," Mr. Richardson said. "First is to protect the town against rogue 40B developers and second, to add affordable housing units to the Marion's Affordable Housing Inventory in a way that is consistent with the needs of current Marion residents — particularly the elderly and single-headed households."



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Chapter 40B allows developers to sidestep local zoning regulations under certain circumstances — especially when a town, like Marion, does not meet the 10 percent requirement. The proposed multi-unit development near The Wave Restaurant is an example of such a proposal. The Marion Homes Program was unanimously approved at Town Meeting in November 2002.

#### **Music at Rochester Church**

The Mansion Heirs, a local gospel group, will perform on Sunday, April 25 during the 10:00 am service at the North Rochester Congregational Church on North Avenue in Rochester. Everyone is welcome to attend.



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The Machacam Club will hold its next meeting on Wednesday, May 5 at the American Legion Hall on Depot Street in Mattapoisett. Social hour begins at 5:30 pm with dinner service at 6:00 pm. The speaker this month will be Seth Mendel, who will continue his "History of Mattapoisett" series with a presentation titled "Mattapoisett: 1890 - 1900." He will focus on *The Wanderer*, early industry, and the summer "folks." Callers are reminded to report their lists no later than 9:00 pm on May 3.

### Peace Corps Week

The eighth grade students at Old Rochester Regional Junior High School received a first-hand account of life in another country on Thursday, March 4 as part of National Peace Corps Week (March 1-5). During Peace Corps Week, thousands of former Peace Corps volunteers teach Americans and the world that they value and respect each other's cultures by helping to eradicate the ignorance that fosters hatred, anger, hostility and violence. The Peace Corps' promotion of diversity as an integral part of American culture strengthens the American spirit both at home and abroad.

Three former volunteers made presentations to the students at Old Rochester Regional Junior High School. Maria Mute, currently a law school student at Northeastern, shared her experiences as a volunteer in

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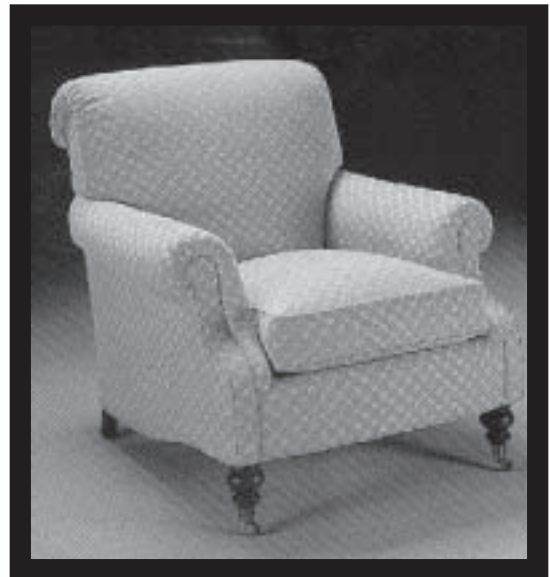
A vast number of people in the world have gained their image of America through meeting Peace Corps volunteers. Peace Corps volunteers promote cross-cultural understanding by integrating themselves into their host communities and forming close bonds with those they serve. From America to Vanuatu, Peace Corps volunteers build bridges across cultures — bridges to tolerance, friendship, and ultimately peace.

### Mattapoisett Photo Exhibit

Be sure to stop by the Ropewalk Mall on Route 6 in Mattapoisett to see a special exhibit of photographs from the collection of the Mattapoisett Museum and Carriage House. This exhibit has been put together by members of the Exhibit Committee of the Historical Society. They appreciate the opportunity given to them by the Ropewalk to share some of these wonderful views of "Yesteryear in Mattapoisett."

### Mother's Day Breakfast

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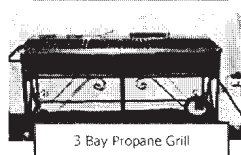
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### Rochester Student in Spain

Jennifer Parker of Rochester has joined a select group of students spending two months living with host families in Madrid, Spain as part of the Global Perspective Program. The group will study the cultural history of the country and be immersed in the Spanish language. Miss Parker is the daughter of Craig and Doreen Parker and a freshman at Worcester Polytechnic Institute majoring in biochemistry.

### Marion Ham and Bean Supper

The Benjamin D. Cushing Post 2425 Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) announced a Ham and Bean Supper and Penny Sale (Silent Auction) on Saturday evening, May 1, 2004 at 7:00 pm in the VFW Pavilion on Route 6 in Marion. Featured are four varieties of baked beans, hand-carved baked ham, oven roasted potatoes, tossed salad, cole slaw, various breads and rolls, and butter. Coffee, tea and numerous baked desserts will also be on hand. Donation is \$8 per person. For tickets or more information, please call Gardner McWilliams (508-295-9558); Jere Hill (508-295-5047); Joseph Napoli (508-748-2799); Harry Brown Jr. (508-763-5619); or Ernest Halunen (508-295-4718).

### Blessing of the Bikes

On Sunday, April 25, Saint Joseph's School in Fairhaven will be holding its Sixth Annual Blessing of the Bikes (raindate: Sunday, May 2). Over 500 bikers of all shapes and sizes are expected to line up at Fort Phoenix State Beach in the back lot starting at 10:00 am. Everyone



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The bikes will then proceed to Adams Street, continue on Bridge Street where they will remain until the last bike is blessed. The event is followed by a two-hour ride through the back roads of Bristol County. The ride will then conclude at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Route 6 in Mattapoisett. For your enjoyment, there will be music, games and raffles. Food and drink will also be available.

Last year's event drew almost 400 bike enthusiasts from all over the SouthCoast who participated in the blessing. Many of the riders were local businessmen and women, including Fire and Police Department members. They rode for a common goal: to support Saint Joseph's School's long tradition of quality education based on "Faith, Values, and Excellence." The success of this event provided almost \$4,000 to support school initiatives.

Donation for participants is \$10 per bike. For more information, please call Cathy Melanson at 508-996-1983.

### Voice of the Faithful

The SouthCoast Chapter of Voice of the Faithful (VOTF) will next meet on Thursday, April 22 at the Friends Meeting House, 103 Marion Road (Route 6) in Mattapoisett from 7:00 to 9:00 pm. Please bring a friend. For more information, please call 508-758-3887 or e-mail [jughag@aol.com](mailto:jughag@aol.com).

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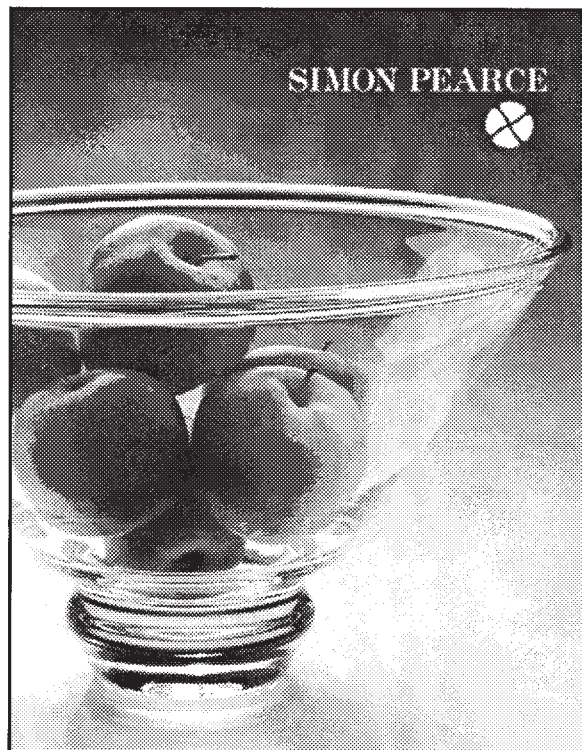
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Father McBrien is a priest of the Archdiocese of Hartford, CT, and has had experience as a parish assistant and college chaplain. He is the former president of the Catholic Theological Society of America and recipient of its John Courtney Murray Award. He is the author of several books, including *Cesar's Coin: Religion and Politics in America* (1987), *Catholicism* (1994), and *Lives of the Popes* (1997). Father McBrien is also the general editor of *The Harper Collins Encyclopedia of Catholicism* (1995), and is a frequent contributor to many Catholic newspapers and journals. He was a professor of Theology at Pope John XXIII National Seminary in Weston, MA (1965-1970). Currently, he is a member of the Department of Theology at Notre Dame University. For more information, please call 508-457-7565 or 508-420-1187.

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### Marion Spring Cleanup

Now through Arbor Day, April 30, Marion residents are asked to give their community a good spring cleaning. As usual, bags and gloves will be placed in public places like the Marion Town House, the Elizabeth Taber Library, the Marion Post Office, and at Tabor Academy. This weeklong event is being sponsored by the Sippican Lands Trust, the Marion Tree Committee, Tabor Academy's Community Service Program, and Sippican, Inc. (which is donating all of the bags and gloves).

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### Mattapoisett Local Scholarships

Mattapoisett Local Scholarships, made possible through donations from taxpayers under MGL Chapter 60, will be awarded to residents of Mattapoisett graduating in 2004 who are going on to post-secondary education. Interested students should obtain a copy of the scholarship application from their high school guidance office. Each high school has established a procedure for completion of the application, including a due-date. High schools then forward completed applications to the Mattapoisett Scholarship Committee. Applications are now available in

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- Friday, April 23 – Movie: *Something's Gotta Give* at 1:30 pm;
- Saturday, April 24 – SERVE Pick-Up, 9:30 to 10:30 am;
- Monday, April 26 – Hyannis Mall 9:00 am; Computer Class 10:00 to 11:00 am; Exercise 1:00 to 2:00 pm;
- Tuesday, April 27 – Lunch 11:30 am;
- Wednesday, April 28 – Shopping 8:30 am;
- Thursday, April 29 – Busy Bees 9:00 to 11:30 am; Lunch 11:30 am; AARP Speaker: Health Partnership; Exercise 1:00 to 2:00 pm;
- Friday, April 30 – Movie: *Secondhand Lions* at 1:30 pm.

### **Sippican Lands Trust**

Upcoming Sippican Lands Trust events include:  
• Sunday, May 16 – Pierson Woods at 12:30 pm.

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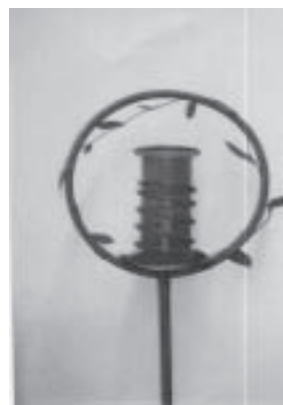
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## Girl Scout Leader Day

In 1982, Girl Scouts of the USA designated April 22 each year to be "Girl Scout Leader Day." The Girl Scout Council of Southeastern Massachusetts would like to celebrate and acknowledge those dedicated volunteers who provide support, guidance and leadership for over 17,500 Girl Scouts in troops and groups within their council. In Girl Scouts of the USA's 92nd anniversary year, these dedicated men and women are still following the philosophy of the founder of Girl Scouts of the USA Juliette Gordon Low. In the towns of Marion, Mattapoisett, and Rochester, there are 37 volunteers giving a quality Girl Scout program to the girls in their towns.

## Mattapoisett Public Library

*Pockets, Popcorn Poetry*

On Thursday April 22 at 1:30 pm, celebrate

National Library Week and National Poetry Month with the Mattapoisett Free Public Library in the Children's Room! From 1:30 to 2:00 they will have guest readers read or recite a favorite poem, while munching on *popcorn*! At 2:00 pm they'll head to the craft tables to make a *pocket* to carry a copy of a favorite poem or one written yourselves. If you would like to be a guest reader, please contact Ms. Burke and she will put you on the schedule. Children in grades K-8 should enjoy the *Pockets, Popcorn Poetry* celebration. Come join the fun at the library during school vacation week.

## Open Mic

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### Sign Language

On Saturday May 1 at 12:30 pm, learn American Sign Language (ASL) with Mattapoisett resident Carol Tufts. This class will pick up where last year's sign language classes with teacher Lu Vose left off. Newcomers are welcome to join this free five-week session also! Classes will be held at the Mattapoisett Free Public Library or Town Hall, depending on class size. Please phone or e-mail the library for exact location.

Classes are funded by the Mattapoisett Commission on Disability (MCOB). For special accommodations, please leave a message at 508-758-4130 or 508-758-4131 (TTY/TDD).

### Book Babies

Book Babies will be held on Wednesdays from 10:30 to 11:00 am for children ages 6-18 months old and their family adult or caregiver. The program consists of songs, fingerplays, and stories for infants. The first session will be led by a staff member and then parents will share the leadership role for remaining sessions, with assistance from the children's librarian. The program is limited to 10 children and 10 adults.

### Preschool Storytime

Preschool Storytime will be held on Wednesdays from 1:00 to 1:45 pm or Fridays from 10:30 to 11:15 am for children ages 3-5 years old. Children sit with the librarian in the storytime area for music, activities, fingerplays and books and then the family adult or caregiver joins in for a simple craft project. The program is limited to 18 children per session.

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### Rochester Firearms Safety

Rochester Police Chief Paul H. Magee, Freetown Chief of Police Carlton E. Abbott and Lakeville Police Chief Mark J. Sorel recently announced the distribution of free gun locks and safety literature.

According to Chief Abbott, "area police departments have partnered with Project Childsafe to promote safe firearm handling and storage practices among firearm owners." The Project Childsafe program is supported by a US Department of Justice grant and has



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The locks will be distributed, free of charge, on Saturday morning, May 8 from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. Freetown will distribute locks at the Freetown Senior Center, while Lakeville and Rochester will distribute locks at their police stations.

"We encourage residents to pick up a Project Childsafe safety kit so they can securely store their firearm," said Rochester Chief Magee. "The cable-style locks fit on most types of handguns, rifles and shotguns." Each department will also have an officer available should anyone have questions about the state's firearm licensing program. State law requires firearms to be secured and stored properly.

Should this distribution prove to be successful, the chiefs plan on offering another round of free locks in the near future.

### Marion Art Center

#### Parsons Exhibit

The Marion Art Center is offering a demonstration and workshop by Charlie Parsons on Saturday, May 8, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. The group will meet in Bicentennial Park where Mr. Parsons will paint outdoors (weather-permitting), then have lunch and paint your

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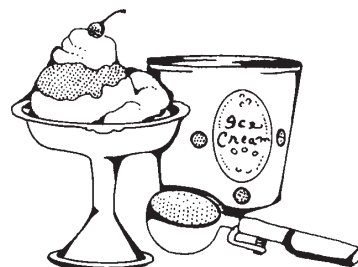
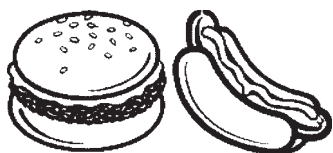
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## Femme Fatale

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**Kill Bill, Vol. 2.** Starring Uma Thurman and David Carradine. Directed by Quentin Tarantino. Running time: 137 minutes. MPAA rating: R.

Now that all four hours and eight minutes of Quentin Tarantino's *Kill Bill* saga have unfurled, it's easy to see the bridge between the two halves. If *Vol. 1* was about action, *Vol. 2* is about consequences. Having indulged in an orgasmic display of sword carnage near the end of the first part, Tarantino knows he can't top himself, and he doesn't try; he slows his pace considerably, drawing out lengthy dialogue sequences, which are really more like duelling monologues. The people in this film feel the need to defend themselves verbally as well as physically; when an enemy is down and helpless, that's the best time for a declamatory speech at his or her expense.

I realize that makes *Vol. 2* sound leaden, but nothing could be further from the truth. As always in Tarantino's work, character bubbles up from the streams of words. When our wrathful heroine the Bride (Uma Thurman) finally tracks down her nemesis Bill (David Carradine), he favors her with a sprawling theory about superheroes and their secret identities. It's pure Quentin, but it also tells us about Bill and his esteem for the Bride. Bill's ne'er-do-well brother Budd (Michael Madsen) gets the drop on the Bride at one point and prolongs her agony with his own chatter, and later on another assassin, Elle Driver (Daryl Hannah), will do the same to him. The defining Tarantino moment concerns the victim who isn't just killed but is forced to *listen*, like the unfortunate cop in *Reservoir Dogs* or the doomed Brett in *Pulp Fiction*.

Both wit and dread gather around these long exchanges, with sadism and violence never far from the surface. Should Tarantino ever want to make an all-out horror movie, he proves himself capable in a near-unbearable sequence, played mostly in pitch black, in which the Bride is buried alive; for what seems like an eternity, all we get from the darkness is the Bride's terrified gasping and the thunder of dirt being dumped onto her coffin. A close-quarters fight between the Bride and Elle is tremendously vicious, the polar opposite of the elegant spatial harmony of the face-off between the Bride and O-Ren Ishii in the first installment.



Though *Vol. 2*'s body count is of necessity smaller than that of its predecessor, the brutality hurts more here, and counts for more.

We get a peek at the Bride's earlier life with Bill, her mentor and lover; we see her training under "the cruel tutelage of Pai Mei" (Gordon Liu), an ancient Chinese master with flowing white hair, beard, and eyebrows. (This character, like *Vol. 1*'s swordmaker Hattori Hanzo, is cheerfully stolen from existing Asian cinema.) David Carradine ambles into the film, carrying a flute and years of associations with martial arts and B-movies. Tarantino obviously worships him, and Carradine rewards him with a portrait of a callous man driven to destroy the one person who broke through his armor. What Carradine brings to Bill, which isn't necessarily scripted, is a becalmed sense of honor. We look at Bill and, despite what he's done, we never think "evil"; he's something else, something larger and harder to pin down, like Hannibal Lecter.

Uma Thurman's performance, too, acquires shadings in this second half. The Bride's pregnancy, her grief and rage at losing her baby, cease to be exploitation plot points and become the basis for a person. There's an interesting little anecdote in which the Bride, having just taken the home pregnancy test, has a run-in with a female assassin, and what follows is just weird enough to be plausible. Mercy is possible here, if not redemption; murderers remain murderers, and even when Budd or Elle express pangs of regret, it doesn't mean they're not who they are. What separates the Bride from the rest of the pack of killers? Well, she chose to nurture life over death. The point is less political than mythical: it's the priestess of violence learning that her body can create as well as destroy. In total, the *Kill Bill* movies expand the story far beyond grindhouse-cinema homage. *Vol. 1* was energetic fun, but *Vol. 2*, in its digressions and philosophizing, actually has the payoff.

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 Walking Tall (PG-13) – 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30  
 Home on the Range (PG) – 1:05, 3:30, 6:00  
 Scooby Doo 2 (PG) – 1:05, 3:05, 5:05  
 Hellboy (PG-13) – 1:15, 4:15, 7:05, 9:40  
 The Whole Ten Yards (PG-13) – 4:00, 10:00  
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# Regional Lunch Menus

## • COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

**Monday, April 26** – Cream of onion soup, chicken a l'orange, red bliss potatoes, multi-grain roll, apple.

**Tuesday, April 27** – Stuffed cabbage in tomato sauce, carrots, O'Brien potatoes, potato bread, peaches in light syrup.

**Wednesday, April 28** – Roast turkey, whipped potatoes, cranberry sauce, winter squash, dinner roll, birthday cake, graham wafer.

**Thursday, April 29** – Salmon boat in dill sauce, Delmonico potatoes, spring blend vegetables, oatmeal bread, apricots in light syrup.

**Friday, April 30** – Orange juice, omelet with cheese sauce, Spanish rice, muffin, applesauce, sugar-free applesauce.

## • CENTER SCHOOL MATTAPOISETT

**Monday, April 26** – Hamburger/cheeseburger, crispy fries, lettuce/tomato, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Tuesday, April 27** – Pepperoni pocket, Steak'Um, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Wednesday, April 28** – Macaroni and cheese, garlic bread, toasted ham and

cheese, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Thursday, April 29** – Chicken tenders, Salisbury steak, mashed potato, gravy, carrots, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Friday, April 30** – Cheese or pepperoni stuffed crust pizza, tuna roll, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

## • FORD MIDDLE SCHOOL ACUSHNET

**Monday, April 26** – Chicken nuggets, pork pattie sandwich, rice, fresh fruit, milk.

**Tuesday, April 27** – Spaghetti and meatballs, veal cutlet sandwich, fresh assorted fruit, milk.

**Wednesday, April 28** – Chicken and cheese quesadilla, grilled cheese, Spanish rice, fresh fruit, milk.

**Thursday, April 29** – Hot dog on a roll, grilled cheese, French fries, fresh fruit, milk.

**Friday, April 30** – Stuffed crust pizza, tuna salad sandwich, carrot sticks, fresh fruit, milk.

## • MEMORIAL SCHOOL ROCHESTER

**Monday, April 26** – Hamburger/cheeseburger, crispy fries, lettuce/tomato, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Tuesday, April 27** – Pepperoni pocket, Steak'Um, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Wednesday, April 28** – Macaroni and cheese, garlic bread, toasted ham and cheese, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Thursday, April 29** – Chicken tenders, Salisbury steak, mashed potato, gravy, carrots, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Friday, April 30** – Cheese or pepperoni stuffed crust pizza, tuna roll, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

## • OLD COLONY REGIONAL VOKE HIGH SCHOOL

**Monday, April 26** – Cheeseburger, spicy fries, corn, peaches, peanut butter macaroon.

**Tuesday, April 27** – Chicken nuggets, French fries, carrots, cranberry sauce, chilled pears.

**Wednesday, April 28** – Swedish meatballs, Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, bread, applesauce, cake.

**Thursday, April 29** – Turkey salad, ham salad roll, macaroni salad, carrots, chocolate whipped cream cake.

**Friday, April 30** – Pizza, tuna roll-up, potato chips, mixed vegetables, fruit, dessert.

## • OLD HAMMONDTOWN SCHOOL, MATTAPOISETT

**Monday, April 26** – Hamburger/cheeseburger, crispy fries, lettuce/tomato, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Tuesday, April 27** – Pepperoni pocket, Steak'Um, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Wednesday, April 28** – Macaroni and cheese, garlic bread, toasted ham and cheese, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Thursday, April 29** – Chicken tenders, Salisbury steak, mashed potato, gravy, carrots, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Friday, April 30** – Cheese or pepperoni stuffed crust pizza, tuna roll, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

## • ORR JUNIOR AND SENIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

**Monday, April 26** – Soup, chicken nuggets, oven potato puffs, hot dog, veggie sticks, corn, dessert, juice or milk.

**Tuesday, April 27** – Soup, roast turkey, mashed potato, ham and cheese croissant, corn or peas, cranberry sauce, roll, dessert, juice or milk.

**Wednesday, April 28** – Soup, American chop suey, Caribbean chicken, broccoli, garlic bread, dessert, juice or milk.

**Thursday, April 29** – Soup, chicken teriyaki wrap, steak with cheese sub, lettuce/tomato, nachos, cheese sauce, dessert, juice or milk.

**Friday, April 30** – Soup, chicken tenders, oven fries, Italian sub, salad, dessert, juice or milk.

## • SIPPICAN SCHOOL MARION

**Monday, April 26** – Hamburger/cheeseburger, crispy fries, lettuce/tomato, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Tuesday, April 27** – Pepperoni pocket, Steak'Um, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Wednesday, April 28** – Macaroni and cheese, garlic bread, toasted ham and cheese, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Thursday, April 29** – Chicken tenders, Salisbury steak, mashed potato, gravy, carrots, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Friday, April 30** – Cheese or pepperoni stuffed crust pizza, tuna roll, soup, salad, fruit, dessert, milk.



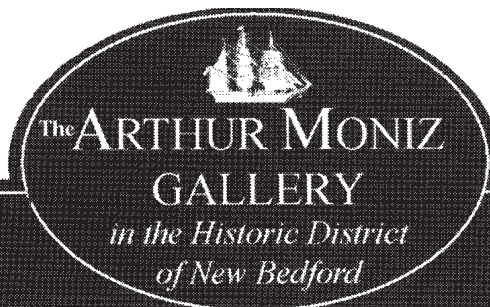
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has a unique theme, and there is an informal production at the end of the two weeks where the children create costumes, sets and help write the plays.

Session I is full, but there are still some places available in Session II (July 20 - 29) and Session III (August 3 - 12). For more information or an application, please call 508-748-1266 or visit the website at [www.marionartcenter.org](http://www.marionartcenter.org).

Summer theater for older children will meet Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning July 6 for six weeks with a production in August. Studio & Stage combines art and theater in three two-week sessions. Informal skits will be performed every two weeks. Please call 508-748-1266



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# Barge in the Bay

By Rob Gonsalves  
<http://robsreviews.cjb.net>

*The B-120 Incident.* A documentary video written and directed by Arnold Parsons. Produced by FTL Filmworks. Running time: 42 minutes. Not rated.

"What is the real cost of oil?" asks Arnold Parsons at the beginning of his 42-minute documentary *The B-120 Incident*. In the footage to follow, we get a devastating sense of the cost — to nature, to wildlife, to those who care about preserving both. Almost a year ago, an oil barge hit a snag — literally — en route to a power plant, opening a hole in its single hull that dumped an estimated 15,000 gallons of oil into Buzzards Bay. Parsons, who happened to be filming on local beaches at the time working on a general project about Buzzards Bay, caught some truly repugnant images, as well as some heartening ones. This isn't a documentary Parsons ever intended to make, or wanted to have to make, but the unhappy events took over.

Much of the film is devoted to the Sisyphean efforts made to try to clean up the catastrophic mess on local beaches. Workers are seen hand-cleaning rocks with implements that look like pom-poms; it's like watching a doctor try to staunch the bleeding of a hemorrhaging patient with a Q-tip. The task seems cruelly vast. Time and weather both stand against the workers as they struggle on the slippery, oil-stinking rocks. Parsons' focus on the aftermath is a sound decision. Rather than spending time speculating on how it happened — investigations are still pending — the film emphasizes the work that must be done to clean up after oil-industry mishaps.

*The B-120 Incident* is not a liberal manifesto against oil consumption. It's no great friend of that billion-dollar industry, either. Parsons catches various local politicians and environmentalists as they speak, somewhat dispassionately, about what should be done to prevent future spills (laws requiring double-hulling would be a step in the right direction). The lack of passion in these people's voices doesn't indicate that they don't care; it's that they've seen this before, and probably expect to see it again and again. Unfortunately, the folks running things in America don't seem to care overmuch about dead loons or preserving microcosms. The locals who want changes made, we sense, aren't holding their breath; they will stay the course, but under federal law we can look forward to another *eleven* years of single-hulled barges and the accompanying dangers.

Who is responsible? Strictly speaking, the Bouchard Transportation Company owns the barge that befouled



Buzzards Bay, and this wasn't the first time their vessels got into trouble; three other Bouchard barges have spilled in United States waters in the last four years, and they've reported 152 oil-related accidents since 1990 (almost twice as many as number two on the list). These substandard vessels — many of them over thirty years old — lumber through our waters regularly, largely without mandatory Coast Guard inspections for the tugboats that guide them. Some of the barges are double-hulled — less than one-third of the thirty vessels listed on Bouchard's website. It's fair to say that the demand for oil may have outpaced Bouchard's ability to deliver it responsibly.

Parsons touches on the politics of all this lightly. His real concern is the human dimension, and also the nonhuman dimension. The camera catches a forlorn loon in the water, too weighted down by oil to fly, but too far away to be rescued. Boxes are filled with dead birds; trucks are loaded with oily bags. An entire strip of beach — Hoppy's Landing — has to be torn out and replaced. A woman speaking at a town meeting has the last word: oil is "a curse," she says, leading to war and to the poisoning of our water and land. Where will it end, and can it end? Almost nobody in the film much bothers with talk of alternate energy resources, even though other countries have started to move away from oil dependency; the concerned townspeople, resigned to the fact that oil has become the blood in this country's veins, have focused their attention on making sure the rusty beasts in the water don't bleed all over us.

*A special fund-raising premiere of The B-120 Incident will take place on the one-year anniversary of the Bouchard oil spill on Tuesday, April 27 at 7:00 pm at the New Bedford Whaling Museum. Tickets are \$10 each and can now be purchased at Baker Books in Dartmouth, Elaine's T-Shirts in New Bedford, Rochester's in Fairhaven, June's Chop Shop in Fairhaven, the Mattapoisett Chowder House, or by calling 508-496-3797. Proceeds will be used to provide copies of the documentary to local schools and libraries.*

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### *Pastel, Pencil, Pen, Ink*

A three-person exhibition titled "Pastel, Pencil, Pen and Ink" is now on display at the Marion Art Center. Edith Cohenno Bryant, Mona Podgurski and Maurice Patterson are the featured artists.

Edith Cohenno Bryant is a member of the Pastel Society of Cape Cod where she won Best of Show in 1997 and Honorable Mention in 2001. She also received the Pastel Society of America Award. She has exhibited in galleries throughout New England and is an alumna of Rhode Island School of Design. Most recently she participated in the Pastel National exhibition in Wichita, Kansas.

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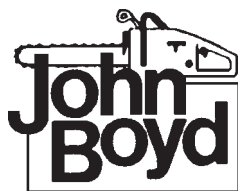
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# Marion Candidates Forum

*With the town facing severe budget constraints and reductions in state aid, how would you approach fiscal spending if (re)elected?*

**Stephen M. Cushing, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"Require all departments to stay within specified budget guidelines (and) level-fund plus small percentage increase. Require *detailed* justification for all items exceeding guidelines."

**Allan W. Ditchfield, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"We need to plan and prioritize the levels of service to the residents in order to keep a lid on fiscal spending. Improvements and upgrades need to be examined carefully ..."

**Jonathan F. Henry, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"Reductions in budgets are required. Expenditures which can be enterprised should be removed from general government. Planned capital expenditures should be phased in over time."

*What is the first and foremost aspect of Marion town government which should be changed?*

**Stephen M. Cushing, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"Communication. Although there have been some improvements, town government still needs to do a better job communicating issues to residents earlier in the process."

**Allan W. Ditchfield, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"Town government works pretty well, but we need to do more with less. One very pressing issue is to resolve the zoning by-law ... We need to find some relief for these people."

**Jonathan F. Henry, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"An elected water/sewer commission should be adopted apart from Selectmen. Regionalize governmental functions where possible."

*How do you feel about Marion's ongoing water/sewer concerns?*

*What do you think is the best, most cost-effective way to service Marion's water/sewer users?*

**Stephen M. Cushing, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"Every effort should be made to regionalize these services to reduce future costs and rate increases."

**Allan W. Ditchfield, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"For sewer upgrades, many people were involved ... we should be careful before we unravel this process. With regard to water, the cooperative approach with other towns is efficient and cost-effective."

**Jonathan F. Henry, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"Regional approach to drinking water production is a good idea. Sewage treatment plans should protect drinking water supply first, and encompass septic system maintenance also."

*What are your thoughts about the pending closure and capping of Marion's landfill and the slated May 2 closing of the transfer station?*

**Stephen M. Cushing, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"The landfill capping is required and overdue, however, building the new transfer station could have been better planned, minimizing closure time and hardship to residents."

**Allan W. Ditchfield, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"The closing of the transfer station was required in order to cap the landfill ... The inconvenience to many of a 6-month temporary closure is the price we have to pay."

**Jonathan F. Henry, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"A clerk of the works employed by the town with full enforcement as to compliance should be considered. Otherwise, a worse situation could result."

*What are the most important qualities which make you the ideal choice for this position?*

**Stephen M. Cushing, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"I have a strong desire to help the town through these uncertain fiscal times by responsibly addressing smart growth, fiscal planning and affordable housing."

**Allan W. Ditchfield, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"I have planning and management experience ... to help manage budget and capital project issues. I also have the people skills to work with a variety of volunteer boards and town personnel."

**Jonathan F. Henry, Candidate Marion Selectman (3 year term)**

"Analytical, decisive, moral courage, communicate clearly. Go for the long range, high standards, and expectations of self and others."



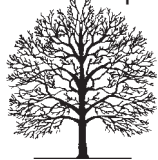
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quietness ... this combined with the experience of color is the inspiration for my works," she said. "I study the landscape and return to my studio to interpret the sensations that I have experienced. I believe that this contributes to letting the picture dictate its 'feeling' to the landscape."

Mona Podgurski is a resident of Canton, MA where she has a studio in her home. She is a graduate of Blue Hills Institute and Bridgewater State College where she received a BA in Fine Art. She has taught drawing and pastel in several area schools. She is a member of the Pastel Painters Society of Cape Cod, the North River Art Association, the Rhode Island Watercolor Society to name a few. Ms. Podgurski works in pastel, watercolor and pencil. She has received many prizes including Best in Show at the Norwood Art Association and Award of Excellence, Pastel Painters of Maine.

Maurice Patterson received his Bachelor of Fine Arts from the University of Alabama. He started off his career by drawing technical illustrations for NASA. Mr. Patterson subsequently moved to Providence, RI where he started his own advertising agency and art studio. His work has appeared in *The New Yorker* magazine, *Sports Illustrated*, and other publications. Mr. Patterson makes his home in Warwick, RI.

The "Pastel, Pencil, Pen and Ink" exhibition runs through May 12. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm; Saturdays, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Admission is free.

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# Local Police Logs

## MARION

*The following log excerpts are for the week of April 11, 2004 through April 17, 2004:*

- Spring Street – assist other police department
- Spring Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Hastings Road – breaking and entering/past
- Joanne Drive – animal complaint
- Cottage Street – parking violation
- Front Street – assist other police department
- Benson Brook Road – assist other police department
- South Drive – animal complaint
- Creek Road – youths in street
- Spring Street – parking violation
- Spring Street – assist other police department
- Wareham Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Front Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Oak Street – suspicious activity
- Wareham Road – suspicious activity
- Converse Road – noise complaint
- Briggs Terrace – suspicious activity
- Mill Street – assist other police department
- Wareham Road – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Spring Street – disorderly person
- Dexter Road – animal complaint
- Wareham Road – assist other police department/adult arrests: 2 (corruption of witness, intimidating a witness)
- Point Road – animal complaint
- Front Street – recovered property
- Route 195 West – fire/mutual aid
- Spring Street – larceny/in progress
- County Road – larceny/past
- Mill Street – motor vehicle accident/

property damage

- Front Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Front Street – animal complaint
- Wareham Road – animal complaint
- Route 195 East – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Vine Street – parking violation
- Silvershell Beach – suspicious motor vehicle
- County Road – suspicious motor vehicle.

## MATTAPOISETT

*The following log excerpts are for the week of April 13, 2004 through April 20, 2004:*

- Wolf Island Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Marion Road – safety/road hazard
- Marion Road – motor vehicle accident
- Fairhaven Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Hammond Street – disturbance
- Acushnet Road – suspicious activity
- Route 6 – mutual aid/police
- Long Plain Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Route 195 – assist other agency
- Fairhaven Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- North Street – animal control
- County Road – motor vehicle accident/hit and run
- Fairhaven Road – motor vehicle accident
- Oakland Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Mattapoisett Neck Road – ATV/snow mobile complaint
- Prospect Road – motor vehicle accident
- Route 195 East – motor vehicle accident
- Pine Island Road – civil complaint
- King Philip Road – vandalism
- Long Plain Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- North Street – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Hawthorne Street – disturbance
- Marion Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Driscoll Lane – missing person
- Ned's Point Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Long Plain Road – brush fire

- County Road – larceny/forgery/fraud.

## ROCHESTER

*The following log excerpts are for the week of April 13, 2004 through April 20, 2004:*

- Cushman Road – officer wanted
- Hartley Road – suspicious activity
- Mary's Pond Road – motor vehicle accident
- Braley Hill Road – utilities
- Benson Road – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Dexter Lane – civil complaint
- North Avenue – animal control
- North Avenue – assist other agency
- North Avenue – domestic disturbance
- Bernard's Way – larceny/forgery/fraud
- County Road – highway matter
- Benson Road – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- North Avenue – assist citizen
- North Avenue – animal control
- Snipatuit Road – motor vehicle accident
- Ashley Brook Lane – complaint
- Mendell Road – brush fire
- Dexter Lane – officer wanted
- Stuart Road – brush fire
- Mattapoisett Road – ATV/recreational vehicle complaint
- Cushman Road – breaking and entering
- Snipatuit Road – motor vehicle accident
- Route 105 – trespassing
- Walnut Plain Road – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Hartley Road – suspicious activity
- County Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Snipatuit Road – officer wanted
- Snipatuit Road – trespass order service
- Marion Road – adult arrest (operating with suspended license, operating unregistered motor vehicle, failure to wear seat belt)
- Mary's Pond Road – adult arrest (operating with suspended license)
- New Bedford Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Snipatuit Road – suspicious motor vehicle.



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52 Cask  
54 Part 2 of remark

- 57 "Love — the Ruins" ('75 film)  
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62 Bog  
63 Precambrian —  
65 In honor of  
66 Snick and —  
68 — above (somewhat superior)  
69 Part 3 of remark  
75 Baseball family name  
76 Antitoxins  
77 Mouth piece?  
78 Long or Peeples  
79 Solidarity leader  
81 Forger's need  
83 Cultural  
88 Wear away  
89 Carthaginian  
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96 Nasty  
97 "How sweet —!"  
98 Cpl.'s superior  
100 Type of fuel

- 101 Porgy and bass  
104 Fast flier  
105 He gives a hoot  
107 Cooke or Donaldson  
108 Male swan  
110 End of remark  
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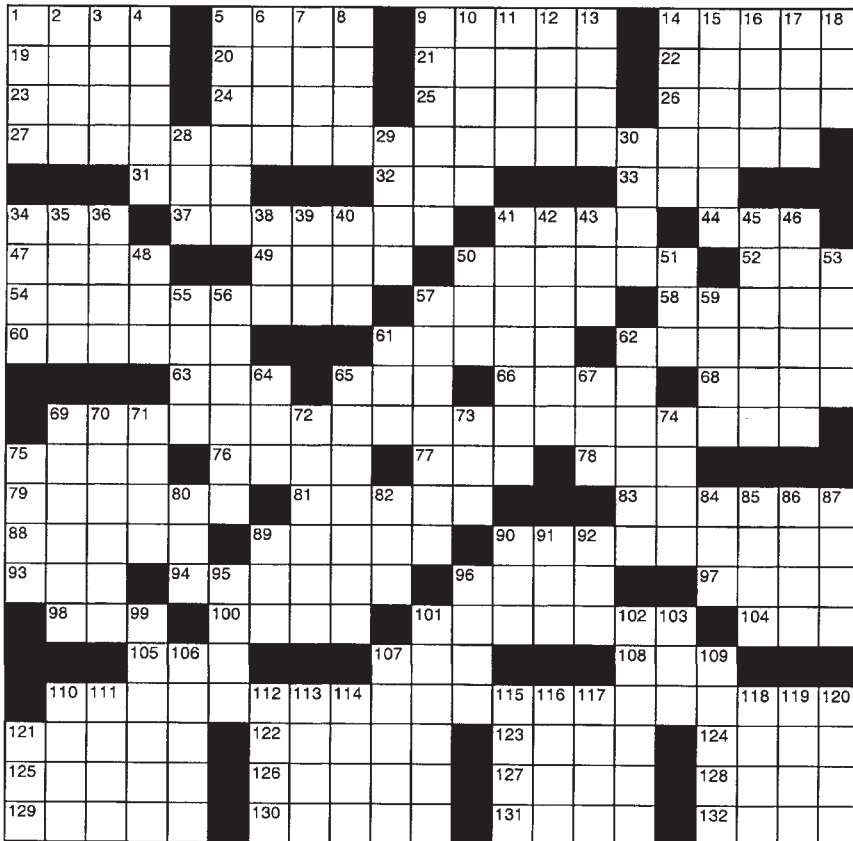
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9 Priam's wife  
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11 — Romeo  
12 Mortgage, for one  
13 Actor Arnaz  
14 Serenity  
15 Disgust  
16 Composer Khachaturian  
17 Deep red  
18 Volleyball divider  
28 City on the Danube  
29 Kind of kiln  
30 Fenwick or Carter  
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35 Inland sea  
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- 51 Skater Midori  
53 Publisher Conde  
55 At any time  
56 Brewer or Wright  
57 Orton, for instance  
59 Part of Q.E.D.  
61 Tofu base  
62 Occupation  
64 Sail through  
65 Cozy cloth  
67 Tons of time  
69 Mild cigars  
70 Fermented tea  
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73 Word with baby or snake  
74 Inauguration Day event  
75 Filled with wonder  
80 Instant, for short  
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85 '87 Streisand film  
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92 Plastic — Band  
95 Bill of Rights grp.  
96 Interoffice communique  
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101 Wimsey's creator  
102 From C to shining C?  
103 TV's "Scooby- —"  
106 '81 John Lennon hit  
107 Senator Thurmond  
109 Borg of tennis  
110 Actress Skye  
111 Bank's backup org.  
112 Clammy  
113 "Typee" sequel  
114 A bit of Beethoven  
115 Weekend warriors: abbr.  
116 Donated  
117 Frigg's fellow  
118 South African plant  
119 Sikorsky or Stravinsky  
120 Diane of "Chinatown"  
121 Weaken



## SALOME'S STARS

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) You're doing better on the flexibility issue, but you still need to loosen up a bit to show you can be less judgmental and more understanding about certain sensitive matters.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) Your personal aspect continues to dominate this week. But try to make time to deal with important career-linked matters as well. A change of plans might occur by the weekend.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) Excuses are not really needed for much of the confusion occurring this week. However, explanations from all parties could help in working things out to everyone's satisfaction.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) That surprising (but pleasant) recent turn of events continues to develop positive aspects. But be prepared for a bit of a jolt on another issue that needs attention.

**LEO** (July 23 to August 22) Creating a fuss might bring you that attention you want. But are you prepared for all the explaining you'd have to do? Better to use more subtle ways to make your bid.

**VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) With education continuing to be a strong factor this week, this could be the time to start learning some new skills that can later be applied to a bid for a potential career move.

**LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22) You might do well to reconsider some of your current time priorities before you get so deeply involved in one project that you neglect meeting a deadline on another.

**SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) With an important decision looming, you need to be careful about the information you're getting. Half-truths are essentially useless. Get the full story before you act.

**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) Find out what everyone's role is expected to be before accepting that workplace proposal. Getting all the facts now could prevent serious problems later on.

**CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) A flexible position on a workplace matter could be the best course to follow during the next several days. A personal issue also benefits from an open-minded approach.

**AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) Involving too many people in your workplace problem can backfire. Remember: Allegiances can shift. Ask trusted colleagues for advice, but don't ask them to take sides.

**PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) Before submitting your suggestions, take more time to sharpen the points you want to make. The clearer the presentation, the more chance it has to get through when submitted.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** Your clear sense of who you are gives you confidence when you need to tackle difficult situations.

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The Sippican Woman's Club is a civic-minded organization whose only fundraising venture each year, the Holiday House Tour, funds scholarship awards for Marion students seeking higher education. Women who are residents of Marion or whose interests are in Marion are eligible for membership.

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<p><b>SPORTS QUIZ</b> By Chris Richcreek</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. When was the last time before 2002 that the San Francisco Giants reached the World Series?</li> <li>2. The DiMaggio brothers (Dom, Joe, Vince) combined for 4,853 hits during their careers. What brother trio topped them?</li> <li>3. Name the current NFL quarterback who was the only player to have 2,000 yards in total offense three years in a row at the University of Delaware?</li> <li>4. When was the last time before the 2003-04 NBA season that the Utah Jazz played a season opener without John Stockton and Karl Malone in the starting lineup?</li> <li>5. Name the only two NHL teams to have played in two Stanley Cups each and won them both.</li> <li>6. This year, Gail Devers became the only American to win what two events at the U.S. Indoor Track and Field Championships?</li> <li>7. Whom did boxer Sugar Ray Leonard fight in his Madison Square Garden debut?</li> </ol> <p>Answers</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. In 1989, the Giants lost to Oakland in four games.</li> <li>2. The Alous (Felipe, Jesus and Matty) combined for 5,094 hits.</li> <li>3. Rich Gannon.</li> <li>4. It was the 1985-1986 season.</li> <li>5. Pittsburgh in 1991 and 1992, and Colorado in 1996 and 2001.</li> <li>6. The 60-meter hurdles and the 60 meters.</li> <li>7. In 1991, Leonard lost a 12-round unanimous decision to Terry Norris at Madison Square Garden and then retired.</li> </ol> <p>(c) 2004 King Features Syndicate</p>	<p><b>TRIVIA TEST</b> By Fifi Rodriquez</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. STATES: When did Texas join the Union?</li> <li>2. HIGHER ED: Where is Tulane University located?</li> <li>3. U.S. GOVERNMENT: Who was the first U.S. House Speaker, chosen in 1789?</li> <li>4. PHILOSOPHY: Who was the founder of the Greek school of thought whose followers were called the Cynics?</li> <li>5. HISTORY: Who won the duel that killed Alexander Hamilton?</li> <li>6. MATH: What is the value in Arabic numbers of the Roman numerals DC?</li> <li>7. MUSIC: What is meant by the musical direction "giocoso"?</li> <li>8. GEOGRAPHY: Nepal's northern border lies on what nation?</li> <li>9. MOVIES: How many Oscars did the movie "Titanic" receive?</li> <li>10. HUMAN BODY: LDL is a type of what?</li> </ol> <p>Answers</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. 1845</li> <li>2. New Orleans</li> <li>3. Frederick Muhlenberg</li> <li>4. Diogenes</li> <li>5. Aaron Burr</li> <li>6. 600</li> <li>7. Merry</li> <li>8. China</li> <li>9. 11</li> <li>10. Cholesterol</li> </ol> <p>(c) 2004 King Features Syndicate</p>	<p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b> TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, May 4, 2004 at 7:20 PM in the Town Hall on the Request to Ammend an Order of Conditions submitted by Joyce Lavoie, 7 Summer Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. The proposed is to ammend an order of conditions, DEP File Number SE44-740. The project is located at 7 Summer Street and is further identified as Lot 9D on Assessor Map 19. Conservation Commission 04/22</p> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICETOWN OF MATTAPOISETT</b> MFPL BUILDING COMMITTEE Project L3, Estimated construction cost \$3,164,808, designer fee, negotiated. Time period for completed project 6/31/06. Contract information, Judith Weallace - 508-758-4171. RFP's are requested for Architect to provide permitting, design, and construction management services for renovations &amp; addition to the 11904 MFPL. (approx. 15,00 sf. of which 5,000 sf. is existing building.) DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: June 4, 2004. PROJECT PROGRAM AVAILABILITY: 4-27-04 at MFPL, 7 Barstow St, Mattapoisett, MA (Tu Th 10-6; Wed 12-8; Fri 10-5; Sat 10-3). MANDATORY BRIEFING SESSION: 10:00 AM at MFPL, 7 Barstow St, Mattapoisett, MA. Tour existing building &amp; construction site. All questions and answers will be heard by everyone attending meeting. A \$50 refundable deposit will be required for each package. Checks made payable to Mattapoisett Free Public Library. A \$10 mailing charge will be added for those requesting materials via U.S. Postal Service. MFPL Building Committee 04/22</p> <div data-bbox="1073 1388 1511 1860"> <p><b>SCHOOLIES</b> © 2002 by John P. Wood</p> </div>



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<p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF ROCHESTER</b>  <b>BOARD OF APPEALS</b>  #863 Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Robert Minarik, d/ b/a High Street Mini Storage, under section VIII.D.6. to allow the operation of a business (truck rental) in an agricultural/residential district. Property is located at 72 Old Tuck Bog Road Assessors plan 14 lot 15D. The public hearing is Thursday, May 13, 2004, 8:30 PM, in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall.  Richard J. Manning, Jr., Chairman      04/22, 04/29</p> <hr/> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT</b>  <b>CONSERVATION COMMISSION</b>  The Mattapoiset Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday May 4, 2004 at 8:00 PM in the Town Hall on the Request for A Determination of Applicability submitted by Brian and Susan Kuilhaug, 110 Mattapoisset Road, Mattapoisset, MA 02739. The proposed project is to build a swimming pool, 20 x 40 inground Gunite pool. The project is located at 110 Mattapoisset Neck Road and is further identified as Lot 28 on Assessor Map 15.  Conservation Commission      04/22</p> <hr/> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF ROCHESTER</b>  <b>BOARD OF APPEALS</b>  #858 The Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Roland Grenier, Sr., 37 Old Schoolhouse Road, who is seeking a special permit under section VIII.C.2.d.2. to allow construction of an accessory structure larger than the allowed 1,000 square feet in the front yard area. Property is identified on Assessors maps as plan 21 lot 9. The public hearing will be held on Thursday, May 13, 2004, 7:30 PM in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall, 1 Constitution Way.  Richard J. Manning, Jr., Chairman      04/22, 04/29</p> <hr/> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF ROCHESTER</b>  <b>BOARD OF APPEALS</b>  #859 Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Steve Schilling, 1129 Walnut Plain Road, who is seeking a special permit under section VIII.D.6. to allow the operation of a business (horseback riding lessons) in an agricultural/residential district. Property is identified on Assessors maps as plan 24 lot 5. the public hearing will be held on Thursday, May 13, 2004 at 7:45 PM in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall, 1 Constitution Way.  Richard J. Manning, Jr., Chairman      04/22, 04/29</p> <hr/>	<p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF ROCHESTER</b>  <b>BOARD OF APPEALS</b>  #861 Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Paul Cormier, 147 Sarah Sherman Road, who is seeking variances from sideline setback requirements under section VIII.B. for a pre-existing non-conforming dwelling and to allow an addition to the pre-existing non-conforming dwelling. The property is identified on Assessors maps as plan 28 lot 13A. The public hearing will be held Thursday, May 13, 2004, 8:00 PM in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall.  Richard J. Manning, Jr., Chairman      04/22, 04/29</p> <hr/> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF ROCHESTER</b>  <b>BOARD OF APPEALS</b>  #862 Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of James Camacho, 136 Walnut Plain Road, Assessors plan 11 lot 6G, who is seeking a special permit under section VIII.D.9.a. to allow the construction of an attached garage with an apartment on the second floor and a variance under section VIII.B. from setback requirements. The hearing will be held on Thursday, May 13, 2004, 8:15 PM in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall, One Constitution Way.  Richard J. Manning, Jr., Chairman      04/22, 04/29</p> <hr/> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF MARION</b>  <b>PLANNING BOARD</b>  The Marion Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, May 10, 2004 at 9:15 PM to consider amendment to the Zoning By-law relative to the Aquifer Protection Overlay District and the Water Supply Protection District. Complete copy of by-law amendment available for review in the Town Clerk's office.  Peter F. Winters, Chairman      04/22, 04/29</p> <hr/> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF MARION</b>  <b>PLANNING BOARD</b>  The Marion Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, May 10, 2004 at 8:30 PM in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House to consider the Special Permit application of Louise Racine Bastarache under By-law Section 4.2.G for a General Retail Establishment under 5,000 sq. ft. Property is located at 133 Wareham Road and is further identified as Plat 11, Lot 121.  Peter F. Winters, Chairman      04/22, 04/29</p> <hr/>	<p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF MARION</b>  <b>PLANNING BOARD</b>  The Marion Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, May 10, 2004 at 8:00 PM in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House to consider the Special Permit application under By-law Section 4.2.G by Marion Pottery Works, LLC for a General Retail Establishment under 5,000 sq. ft. Property is located at 374 Front Street, Unit 2B and is further identified on the Marion Assessors' map as Plat 13 Lot 20.  Peter F. Winters, Chairman      04/22, 04/29</p> <hr/> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF MARION</b>  <b>BOARD OF APPEALS</b>  CASE #540 The Marion Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 7:30 PM on Thursday, May 20, 2004 in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House. The application of John W. Curley for a Special Permit under section 6.1.3 of the zoning by-law to allow an existing non-conforming shed with an existing set back of 0' to be reconstructed with a 10' setback from the Westside of property line. The property, at 12 Cross Neck Road, is further identified as Assessors' Plan 5 on Lot 16  Robert D. Wedge, Chairman      04/22, 04/29</p> <hr/> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF MARION</b>  <b>BOARD OF APPEALS</b>  CASE #541 The Marion Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 8:00 PM on Thursday, May 20, 2004 in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House. The application of Alan H. Golblatt for a Special Permit under section 6.1.3 of the zoning by-law to allow extension of non-conforming structure less than required setbacks to add farmers porch and garage.  The property, 23 Rezendes Terrace, is further identified on Assessors' Plan 7A Lot 30.  Robert D. Wedge, Chairman      04/22, 04/29</p> <hr/>
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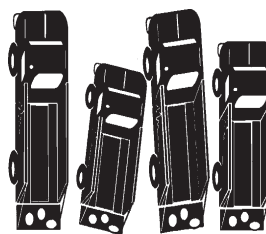
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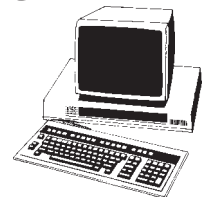
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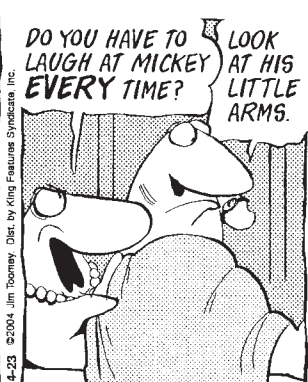
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### Shopping

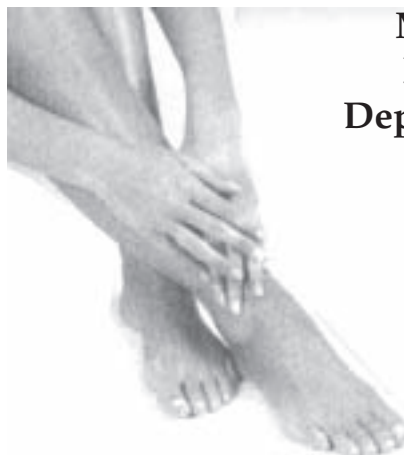
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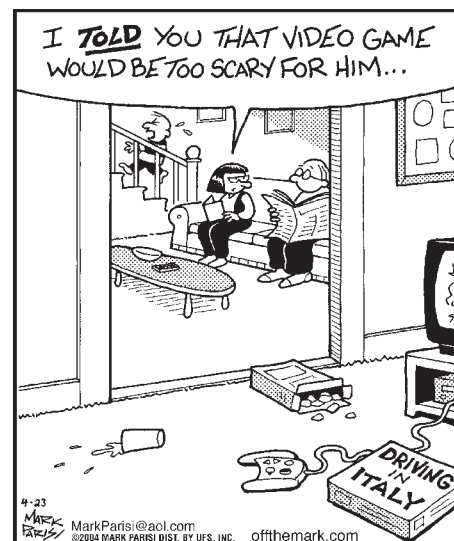
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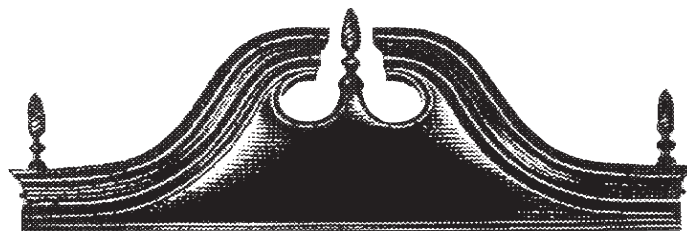
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#### Upcoming Trips

April 22: Price Rite; April 29: Plumb Corner Mall. All trips are subject to weather conditions. Please call the COA office at 508-758-4110 if you have any questions.

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		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
April 22:	Thur.	10:40	10:46	3:59	3:45
April 23:	Fri.	11:20	11:24	4:34	4:24
April 24:	Sat.	...	12:03	5:12	5:04
April 25:	Sun.	12:04	12:49	5:54	5:48
April 26:	Mon.	12:49	1:39	6:46	6:41
April 27:	Tues.	1:40	2:33	8:03	7:52
April 28:	Wed.	2:37	3:30	9:31	9:16
April 29:	Thur.	3:40	4:28	10:23	10:27
April 30:	Fri.	4:43	5:23	11:03	11:22
May 1:	Sat.	5:42	6:13	11:40	...
May 2:	Sun.	6:35	7:01	12:11	12:19
May 3:	Mon.	7:24	7:47	1:00	12:59
May 4:	Tues.	8:13	8:35	1:48	1:41
May 5:	Wed.	9:00	9:23	2:38	2:26
May 6:	Thur.	9:50	10:15	3:27	3:12
May 7:	Fri.	10:43	11:10	4:18	4:00
May 8:	Sat.	11:40	...	5:10	4:51
May 9:	Sun.	12:08	12:38	6:10	5:47

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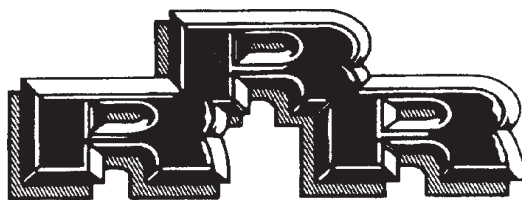
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